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One Killed and Two Guards Shot at Alabama Prison

Manner in Which Barnes Was Killed Baffles Officers

CONVICTS USE PISTOL

Escape Affected While Shifts Were Making Change

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 21.—(AP)—Thomas Barnes, Elcho bank robber, was in the residence of W. H. Swingen in the west end today by Lee Hudgens, Montgomery convict, who accompanied Barnes in a sensational dash for liberty from the Fleigler prison, 20 miles from here after wounding two guards.

A bullet had pierced Barnes through the heart, but the manner in which it got there was a mystery to officers. Swingen said Hudgens had dumped Barnes body on the kitchen floor of his residence, that Hudgens drove off in an automobile without an explanation. Fearing Hudgens was armed, Swingen made no effort to halt him.

The pistol which was used in shooting the two guards, John Baltzer and J. D. Richardson, at the prison, was believed to have been in the possession of Hudgens together with a quantity of ammunition.

It was first reported that Barnes had engaged in a pistol battle with county officers near the edge of the city limits, and headed by Sheriff John L. Scroggins. It was stated at the prison that guards had no opportunity to fire at Hudgens and Barnes as they fled from the prison cotton mills as shifts were changing. Hudgens was under a sentence of two to three years for burglary and grand larceny and Barnes was serving from four to five years for an assault to rob.

Mrs. A. Beard Dead in Huckabee Community

Mrs. A. Beard, aged citizen of Hempstead county, died at her home in the Huckabee community early today.

Death came peacefully after a lingering illness for some time. She is survived by a number of daughters and sons who reside in this county.

Burial will take place Saturday afternoon in the Huckabee cemetery, five miles south of Hope on the Lewisville road.

Woman Injured in Auto Wreck

Ford Truck and Lincoln Collide Near Experiment Station

Mrs. Emiley Rogers, aged about 35, received a fractured arm about 9 o'clock today in an automobile collision which occurred on the Hope and Prescott highway near the Experiment Station.

Mrs. Rogers was an occupant of a Lincoln automobile with other relatives from San Francisco, Calif., who were tourists on their way to this city. A negro, driving a gravel truck was headed toward Prescott and the Rogers car was en route here. When the cars approached each other, the negro, who's name is not known, apparently lost control of his machine and crashed into the side of the Lincoln.

Occupants of the car were shaken up considerably, but no one was seriously hurt, except Mrs. Rogers who received a fractured arm. An ambulance was called, and she was brought to the Julia Chester hospital for treatment.

Both vehicles were damaged slightly.

County Spelling Champions To Be Chosen Here Saturday

"The Best" of 60 City and County Schools Meet at 9 A. M.

Hempstead county's three best spellers will be chosen in the county-wide tournament sponsored by The Star, to be held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning in Hope city hall.

Ten local champions from city and county have been reported to The Star, but many more will appear before the lists close at 9 tomorrow morning. There are approximately 60 grade schools in the city and county, all of whom are eligible to send their best speller to the tournament to compete for The Star's three cash prizes.

All arrangements and choosing of judges, are in the hands of the city and county school authorities. The finals tomorrow will be conducted as

By the President of the United States of America

A Proclamation

WHEREAS, by the Act of Congress approved June 18, 1929, the Fifteenth Decennial Census of the United States is to be taken beginning on the second day of April, nineteen hundred and thirty;

WHEREAS, it is of the utmost importance to the interests of years is required by the Constitution of the United States for the purpose of determining the representation of the several States in the House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS, it is of the utmost importance to the interests of all the people of the United States that this Census should be a complete and accurate report of the population and resources of the Nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Herbert Hoover, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that, under the law aforesaid, it is the duty of every person to answer all questions on the Census schedules applying to him and the family to which he belongs, and to the farm occupied by him or his family, and all other Census schedules as required by law, and that any person refusing to do so is subject to penalty.

The sole purpose of the Census is to secure general statistical information regarding the population and resources of the country, and replies are required from individuals only to permit the compilation of such general statistics. No person can be harmed in any way by furnishing the information required. The Census has nothing to do with taxation, with military or jury service, with the compulsion of school attendance, with the regulation of immigration or with the enforcement of any national, state or local law or ordinance. There need be no fear that any disclosure will be made regarding any individual person or his affairs. For the due protection of the rights and interests of the persons furnishing information every employee of the Census Bureau is prohibited, under heavy penalty, from disclosing any information which may thus come to his knowledge.

I therefore earnestly urge upon all persons to answer promptly, completely and accurately all inquiries addressed to them by the enumerators or other employees of the Census Bureau and thereby to contribute their share toward making this great and necessary public undertaking a success.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the United States.

DONE at the City of Washington, this 22d day of November, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-nine and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Fifty-fourth.

(SEAL) HERBERT HOOVER, Secretary of State.

Doheny's Trial Grows Near End

Frank Hogan, for the Defense, Makes Ringing Pleas for Acquittal

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—The trial of Edward L. Doheny on a charge of bribery, grew near its end today, with Frank Hogan for the defense, making ringing pleas for the acquittal of the 73-year-old multimillionaire.

Doheny listed tentatively while Hogan asserted that all the evidence presented in the trial, showed that the \$100,000 that Doheny gave Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the Interior, was simply a loan from a wealthy man to an old friend in need. Fall was convicted on a charge of receiving the bribe from Doheny. The latter secured placed as Hogan reviewed the details surrounding the contract to build storage oil tanks for the navy at Hawaii.

William H. Taft Left Big Estate

\$475,000 Showed In Petition for Probate of Will

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—A petition for the probate of the will of late William H. Taft showed today that the former chief justice left an estate valued at \$475,000.

The former president's personal estate comprised of stocks, bonds and personal effects was estimated at \$350,000. Mrs. Taft said in addition that his debts including the funeral expenses would not exceed \$3,000.

A good-sized crowd of city and county parents and teachers is expected at the city hall Saturday morning.

Champions reported to The Star thus far are as follows: Volmer Boyd, Guernsey.

Marian Hartsfield, Hopewell Boyd Painter, Spring Hill Benson Foster, Battlefield-Spring Hill

Jesse Crews, Center Point Opal Simmons, Hinton R. R. Moody, Liberty Hill

Willie Blanche Henry, Hope Junior High School Brookside Rodgers, Harmony

Elwin Salsbury, Holly Grove.

Parley To Act On Limitation

American, Great Britain and Japan Prepare for Quick Action

LONDON, March 21.—(AP)—The American, Great Britain and Japan delegates to the naval conference today were preparing for a quick definite action next week in the production of a limitation and reduction pact.

The American authorities are awaiting the acceptance of a proposed naval measure which is now being considered in Tokyo as an agreement among the United States, Great Britain and Japan, and if accepted, France and Italy will be invited also to put their cards on the table, in an effort to settle the parity disagreement.

If France and Italy cannot see an agreement among themselves, then the other three powers will frame an agreement along the lines of the Washington Treaty, and France and Italy will be invited to sign such parts as they wish.

Report Shows Surplus Labor

Part-Time Schedules and Decrease in Employment Shown

LITTLE ROCK, March 21.—(AP)—Customary winter curtailment in manufacturing activity with an accompanying general surplus of labor was reported for Arkansas in the February industrial employment report issued today by the United States Department of Labor.

Part-time schedules in the coal mines together with a decrease in employment in lumber mills was reported as leaving a surplus of labor in both trades. Textile mills, although operating on cut schedules, were reported as maintaining employment on a comparatively satisfactory level.

Several miscellaneous industries engaged additional labor. Stone, glass and clay products plants, food and kindred products plants and chemical establishments curtailed their forces.

Building programs in the larger cities were reported offering considerable demand upon the large labor market, while in smaller localities the building programs had been held down due to a surplus of building-trades men.

The state highway construction program and spring agricultural activities were seen as a favorable influence and believed soon able to absorb much of the surplus labor.

LITTLE ROCK—Stone, glass and clay products plants; paper and printing establishments, food and kindred products plants; and several miscellaneous industries curtailed their forces slightly. The iron and steel industries.

Two Negroes Pay Death Penalty in Chair for Murder

Go To Their Death Calmly at State Penitentiary Today

BROWN DENIES CRIME

Green States He and Another Negro Killed Foreman Farmers

LITTLE ROCK, March 21.—(AP)—Mack Brown, 27, and John Green, 28, negroes were electrocuted at the state penitentiary here this morning for the murder last December of Ed Dubley, 25, and Bud Morgan, 50, white farmers who were slain while returning home from a dice game in the Little River county bottoms.

El Nolan, another negro and alleged instigator of the crimes is under sentence to die in the chair next week. The three negroes divided \$5.25 among themselves which was taken from their victims.

Brown and Green went to death calmly. In the chair Green told Wardens S. L. Todhunter of the state prison that he and another negro whose name is not known, killed Morgan and Dubley, and that neither Brown or Nolan took part in the affair.

When Brown was placed in the chair to make his last statement, he asserted his innocence and went to his death calmly.

Senator Gentry Talks to Rotary

Defines Citizenship, Robison Speaks on Club Topic

Citizenship week in Rotary was observed at today's club luncheon in Hotel Barlow with an address by State Senator U. A. Gentry, who was the guest of the local club.

"Too many of us," Senator Gentry declared, "are content with saying I am a good citizen because I don't do the things that are wrong."

"To be passively good is not all there is to good citizenship. The positive declaration was made by the Master when he said, 'I was naked and ye clothed me.' That injunction rests upon all citizens—to interest themselves in the functions of good government, to serve on juries, and to wisely choose their public officials.

"As they say in the luncheon clubs, so is it in good government—you get no more out of your city and state than you put into it."

George W. Robison, past president of the club, spoke on the Fourth Object of Rotary, "The Developing of Acquaintances Is an Opportunity for Service." Mr. Robison said, "The best acquaintance comes from putting your card under a man's table and talking things over with him. I know from personal experience that a man feels himself a better citizen from attending civic clubs regularly. A man can't stay in a club without putting something into it, and getting something out of it in return."

The club program was presented by George W. Ware, vice-president. Hope Rotary is in the lead with stamps for the attendance record in Southwest Arkansas, President E. F. McFadden reported, after completing a recent tour of the district. The Hope club reported 100 per cent last Friday, had only one absentee today, whose attendance will probably be made up at another club before next Friday.

Visitors today besides Senator Gentry were: Arthur Cunningham of the Public Theatres, Inc., a Shreveport (La.) native, and D. T. Hule, of the Little Rock office of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

One Release In Killing Attempt

Man in Leather Enters Into Investigation At Lonohe

LONOHE, March 2.—(AP)—A man in a leather jacket entered into an investigation today in connection with the attempt to assassinate Rev. W. H. Gregory, Baptist minister, and a member of the Arkansas Boys Industrial school. This man is said to have appeared at the Gregory home Wednesday and appealed for food.

Mrs. Gregory said she gave the man a sandwich and it was said that he appeared nervous. Gregory told officers the man called him out on his front porch, fired at him and fled, and that he was wearing a leather jacket.

W. C. Whitfield, arrested earlier in the week, has been released under bond.

TO BE OPERATED ON Jack McCabe, young son of Mrs. E. J. McCabe, this city, was taken to Julia Chester Hospital this morning to be operated on this afternoon for appendicitis.



Today's Big News SPRING is HERE

Spring officially arrived in Hope today at 3:30 a. m., accompanied with a howling wind across this area, while a cold rain fell from unusually chilly skies, sending the temperature into a nose dive. Only three days before spring officially opened, snow fell at Fayetteville, and sub freezing temperatures are predicted for this area tonight, but according to scientific figures about the axis, vernal equinox and orbits, spring has arrived! But, science or no science, spring is that time when the whole world seems sweet sixteen; when comes a revival of vegetation; when life stirs in the dark soil, and all the world brightens and smiles.

When the clarion summons is obeyed as winter steadily loses its grip, spring appears, literally singing that no human trouble is final, no winter lasting, no darkness permanent, and that spring is the living and laughing denial of the onsets of death. Already the trees are budding, grass is patched with green, and birds sing and chatter from early morning until evening. Little flowers, all colors and odors, have cropped up no lawns. Though the grass needs cutting, few have the heart to slaughter the little blooms which have pushed their way from the earth.

Streets have become lanes of sweet smelling growth, and the earth is almost ready for the bare feet of the horde of youth.

Spring comes after winter has carried the world through a shadowy, majestic and cosmic disrepair. The days have scowled bleakly by. The nights have slumped gloomily past. But once more, amid music and beautiful lights, spring, runs up the curtain.

Short lived, from March 21, through May, but during that period between the passing of winter and the coming of the scorching summer's sun there is more of the real beauty of life and a reminder of what comes after the end of this living.

To Head World's Largest Bank



Winthrop W. Aldrich, older brother-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., will be president of the world's largest bank, to be known as the Chase National Bank of New York City. It is being created by merging the Chase National Bank, the Equitable Trust Company and the Interstate Trust Company, uniting assets of \$2,500,000,000.

Hospital Reaches Total of \$1,323

Julia Chester Getting Good Results in Charity Campaign

The canvassing committees of the Hope and Hempstead County Hospital association crept closer to their goal of \$2,000 for support of the charity work in Julia Chester hospital this year, when a total of \$1,322.50 in gifts was announced today by Syd McMath, secretary-treasurer of the association.

Teams have been in the field since Tuesday, under leadership of Mrs. C. S. Lowthorp, president of the women's hospital board, and C. W. Weltman, president of the association.

More than 100 memberships have been taken out for the current year, and the association expects to obtain 100 per cent of the business houses and business and professional men in support of the community hospital.

Julia Chester has annual operating expenses of around \$11,000, all but \$2,000 of which is met by fees from patients able to pay for medical treatment. The hospital requires public support, however, for it makes the boast that no person needing medical attention is ever turned down for want of money.

Senate Refused to Place Tariff On Oil and Gasoline

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—For the fifth time the senate refused to place a tariff on oil and gasoline at today's session. The vote was 28-37. The measure was on a proposal of Senator Pine, republican of Oklahoma, to levy a duty of 40 cents per barrel on crude oil and 20 cents on petroleum by-products all on the free list.

The same measure was defeated in the senate 32-28 Wednesday night and again last night without a record vote.

Bulletins

LITTLE ROCK, March 21.—(AP)—Falling from a scaffold while working on a two story building, W. H. Adams aged 47, was injured so severely today, that he died in a hospital a few minutes later. The rope in which he had a scaffold tied to, broke causing his fall and later his death.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 21.—(AP)—An earthquake which lasted six seconds was experienced at 10:30 here today. The walls of several concrete buildings cracked.

LITTLE ROCK, March 20.—(AP)—Governor Parnell issued a requisition upon the governor of Texas today for the return of R. T. Fowler from Hall county Texas, to Hope, to face a charge of false pretense.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—Congress cannot adjourn until about the first of June "under the most favorable conditions," Senator Watson, of Indiana, republican leader, told the senate today in announcing a plan for a weeks recess, after the tariff bill has been passed.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—President Hoover today sent the following Arkansas Post Master's nomination to the senate: Daniel C. Wine, at Helena; Henry Bringham, Pine Bluff; and Edgar C. Hudsteth, at Texarkana.

Curfew Restored, Warns Hope Boys

Whistle Sounded at Power Plant Every Night at 9:30

The curfew, solemn warning to boys under 16 to get off the public streets, was sounded at 9:30 o'clock last night, and will be observed every night hereafter.

City police revived the curfew in order to keep young boys from playing on the downtown streets late at night. It has always been provided for in a city ordinance, but was discontinued a few years ago when it seemed unnecessary.

Remarking on the revival of the curfew, Mayor Ruff Boyett said today: "The blowing of the whistle from the power plant at 9:30 will allow youngsters plenty of time to see the first night show and get home safely. They have no business being about town any later than that."

Henry McMurta Is Shot By Officers

Was Killed When He Refused To Surrender, and Fleed

WALNUT RIDGE, March 21.—(AP)—Fleeing from officers who sought to arrest him in connection with the manufacturing of liquor, Henry McMurta, aged 40, was shot and killed near here today.

Harvey Meadows, deputy sheriff, was said to have fired the shot that killed McMurta. Two other officers were with Meadows at the time of the shooting.

The officers surrounded the home of Tal Lewis near Sedgwick, and when they asked for McMurta to surrender he fled. Meadows fired. He was not been arrested for the shooting.

Druggists Meet Here on April 4

60 to 70 Will Attend District Banquet at Barlow

Between 60 and 70 druggists in Southwest Arkansas will meet at the annual spring banquet of District No. 11 of the Arkansas Druggists' association, to be held at Hotel Barlow at 7:30 o'clock the night of April 4.

Frank Ward, district chairman, and the Hope druggists, will be hosts for the occasion. All local drug stores will be hosts for the occasion. All local drug stores will close at 7 o'clock that night, to allow druggists, and their staffs to attend the banquet.

The principal visiting officials will be Max Daggett, of Marianna, president of the state association; Ed Oslen, of Little Rock, secretary-treasurer of the state group; and Booker Atliner, president of the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy.

1600 Stills Captured During Last January

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—Federal prohibition agents on their raids on stills in January captured a total of 1,600, ranging in size from a tea kettle and copper pipe affair to a plant that would produce 2,000 gallons of alcohol per day.

Commissioner of Prohibition Doran in announcing this today said that the total of 730 plants produced alcohol from corn sugar. Most of the largest plants were located in Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Cleveland and in the New England states.

Keen Concentration Demanded On Cooking School Platform

Mrs. Leona Ihrig Describes Her Formula for Lecture Work

One of the most unusual instances of concentration in platform speaking, is to be found in the lecture routine of Mrs. Leona Ihrig, noted domestic science expert, who will conduct a series of Cooking School lectures under the auspices of The Star at the Saenger theatre March 31 through April 4.

Many women who fly into tantrums in their cooking routine, when interrupted by the jangling of the telephone, ringing of the door bell, or the intrusion of members of the household, have marveled at the intensity of this remarkable woman who, facing an audience of hundreds of women, every movement subject to the invited scrutiny of her onlookers proceeds to handle the most intricate of cookery details in orderly sequence, paring, kneading, mixing, rolling, and at the same time lecturing in detail regarding the very operations which she is demonstrating.

"I early found," says Mrs. Ihrig, "that it was to continue in my work I had to elaborate on the same procedure followed in my own home kitchen—that of not permitting outside intrusions to interfere with a well-formed plan. While my lectures are not memorized and there is only a general uniformity in the program I follow at each day's demonstration I have long since formed a habit of

Mrs. F. D. Bonds Dies Early Today

Succumbs To Long Illness at the Home of W. A. Lewis

Mrs. Frances Daniel Bonds, aged 76, died at 7:15 this morning at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. W. A. Lewis, following an illness of several weeks. She has been suffering from heart trouble, and it was thought she came as a result of an attack today.

Funeral services will be held at Marlboro at 2:30 Saturday afternoon conducted by Rev. J. A. Sargent, the dist minister at Bleivins, and Dr. W. H. Anderson, of this city. Burial will be had at Marlboro cemetery.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. W. A. Lewis, Hope; Miss Mary Bonds, Bleivins; Mrs. H. C. Hones, Fayetteville; one son, Roy Bonds, Bleivins; five step-children, Eva Statfield, Walton, Edgar and Harvey Bonds, all of Bleivins.

SUPER-SALESMANSHIP

"Sergeant O'Neill came upon down-hearted Sam, contemplating suicide from the Brooklyn Bridge."

"Before you commit this act," said the sergeant, "talk it over for fifteen minutes with me."

Whereupon the two strolled over to a bench and conversed for fifteen minutes. Presently they both walked back to the bridge and jumped over together.

No man can possibly be as good as his wife claims in front of company or as he claims in the privacy of the home.—Dallas News.

Speaking of unemployment, what is to become of the port postgraphers whom the long skirt is putting out of work?—Dallas News.

arranging my work so that when I take the platform, I begin my lecture and my demonstration work with a preconceived plan of just what items I'm going to demonstrate first— which items I am going to permit to cock while I prepare others, and I allow the general inspiration from my listeners to stimulate the course of my remarks, outside of the definite specifications as to products and recipes."

"In this capacity, I claim no particular ingenuity. Before I took the lecture platform, I followed the same outline in my own kitchen duties and the systematization and harmony which characterizes my appearance and demonstration on the stage, is within the reach of any woman who wishes to apply herself conscientiously toward the elimination of drudgery from her kitchen activities."

"One item that I stress is the essentiality of every woman having available recipes which eliminate the uncertainty in cooking methods, and allow for a definite allocation of the time she intends to spend in the kitchen. The second is the necessity of working out in her spare moments, before she enters the kitchen, her kitchen program. The third item is the necessity of providing cooking insurance by selecting tried and tested products, which experience of hundreds of thousands of cooks have proven worthy and reliable."

"In each of my lectures I am

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The Star's Platform

CITY

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.
More city pavement in 1936, and improved sanitary conditions in the alley and business back-ways.
Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a minimum amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt road mileage.
Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.
Fairness tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.
Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

The Curfew Comes Back

A FINE old custom was revived this week when the city government ordered the curfew sounded every night at 9:30 o'clock.

When the whistle blows at the municipal power plant, youngsters all over the city will have been waiting anxiously for thirty minutes beforehand.

In this writer's old home town, the curfew was sounded from the gas works. There was a warning whistle at a quarter-to-nine, and the curfew proper at nine.

We heard the warning. It fell on reluctant ears. Ten minutes till nine. The crowd grew restless, started drifting. Five minutes. Loitering far down the home street. One minute to nine—and a hundred yards from the front yard.

Curfew! Between the beginning of that mournful night cry, and the end, we had slammed the gate and shut out the night behind us!

Just an old Anglo-Saxon custom, and a fine one, this blowing of the curfew. In all ages, and all lands, the safety of nations has rested upon the home, and its proper appreciation. The curfew from time immemorial has been sending youngsters home, reminding them that the State thinks home is a good place to be.

We believe it does more than that. We believe the curfew, as experienced in the lives of millions of now-adult Americans, has impressed upon youngsters a deeper appreciation of home and safety, when night suddenly seems dark and threatening.

No sound is so mournful as the curfew. It is the spirit of the Night suddenly aroused and menacing. Grownup folks look back and know it isn't an idle threat.

The Small Business Man

"Even as we laud the splendid efforts of these leaders of industry," said Dr. Julius Klein, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, speaking of the business conferences in Washington, "let us not lose sight of the unnamed hundreds of thousands of 'little fellows in the business world' . . . the corner grocer, the small-town druggist, the hardware dealer in a modest way, the woman selling 'notions,' the restaurant proprietor with a neighborhood trade. . . . These smaller merchants, with their innumerable stores where business, in whatever volume, constantly proceeds, form the backbone of our American business organism."

The Department of Commerce has been making a study of the reasons of the failure of local merchants in several communities, as the first step toward helping independent business men to hold their trade and share in the nation's prosperity. "Facts and their efficient application," says Dr. Klein, "are the indispensable road workers on the highway of success." And he and his assistants have discovered that most of the failures are due to ignorance of the facts about their own business. Only about five or six per cent of the failures of independent stores are traceable to chain store competition, according to the findings of the Department of Commerce. Many more are due to carelessness in credits and collections, to inaccurate bookkeeping, to inability to grasp the essential points of good merchandising and to inexperience, according to Dr. Klein.

Not only the merchant, but the manufacturer, the farmer and most everyone else, is having a time right now keeping disbursements in a fair relation to receipts. A great readjustment is taking place throughout the nation. The "Santa Claus" days are over. There is no easy money. Those who come out on the right side of the ledger when the better, more prosperous, days return will be those persons who devote hours to study as well as effort to work out their salvation in their own individual business. Just as surely as the Kingdom of God is within each one of us, does the success or failure of each business rest upon the intelligent effort of the individual merchant. And personality is still a tremendous factor in business, an asset which properly used can prove the turning point upward for many independent merchants. —Morrilton Democrat.

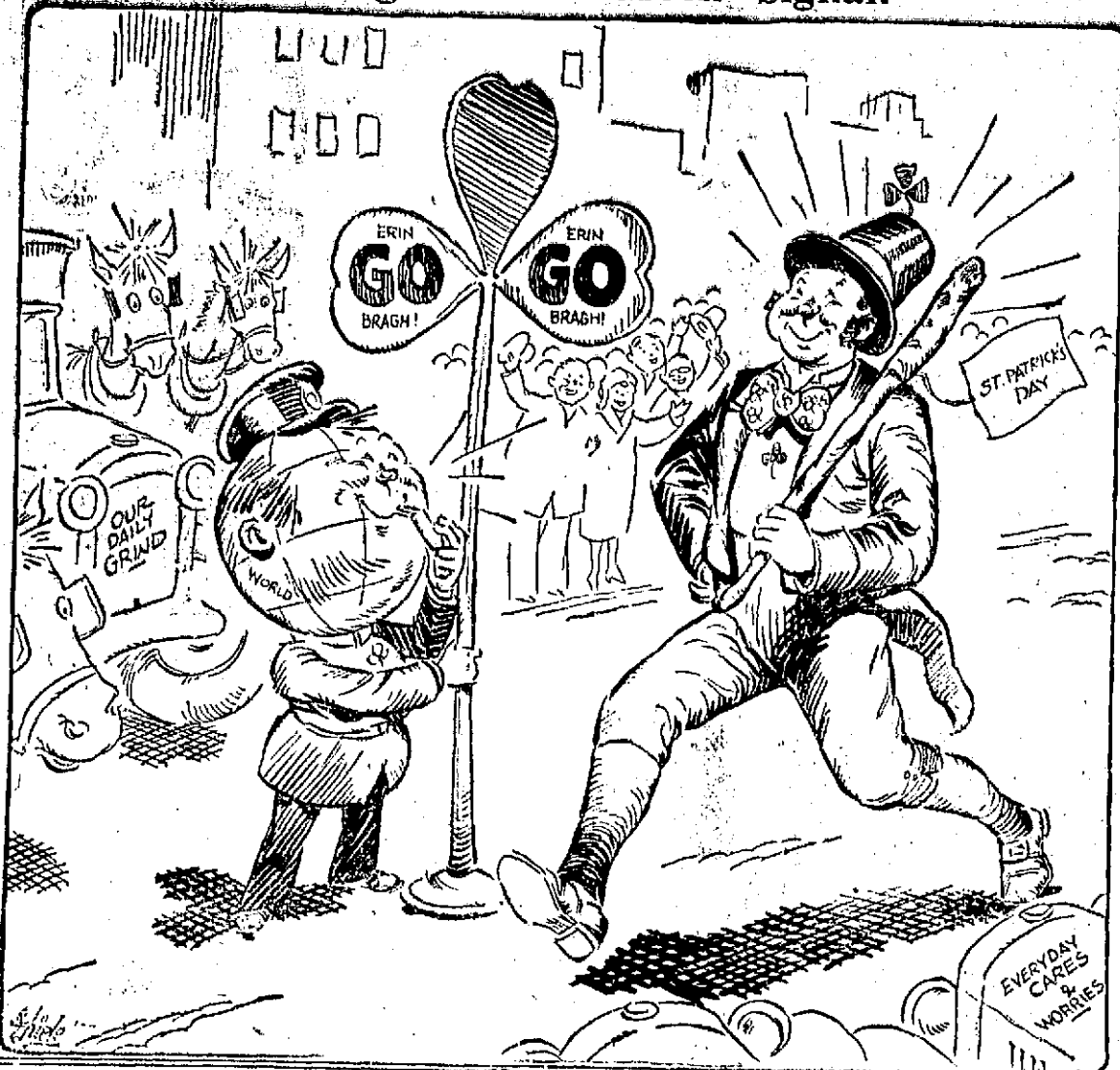
A Puzzler

THERE is nothing like this modern age for producing puzzling problems in the field of morals.

In Buffalo there was a young man studying to become a missionary. He had a hard time making both ends meet; it was necessary for him to earn a little money by parttime work. So he took to running liquor across the Niagara river for bootleggers.

Eventually he got caught, and a court fined him \$50—and, presumably, ordered him to desist. And for the life of us we can't figure out just what, if any, moral there is attached to his story. To be a missionary is to devote oneself to a high calling—yet turning bootlegger to get there hardly seems like the right way to go about it. Does the end justify the means?

Giving Him the "Green" Signal!



Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—As soon as the tariff bill gets out of Congress—and the Senate is now putting on its own finishing touches before the bill goes to conference—Washington will become a dumping ground for all the political dope from the campaigns leading up to the Congressional primaries and elections.

Already some of this dope is trickling in and, for what it may be worth, tends to favor some of the more outstanding senators among those who are up for reelection this year for another six-year term. For instance, Couzens of Michigan, Walsh of Montana, Norris of Nebraska and Grundy of Pennsylvania. On the other hand, from Alabama one hears that the skids have been pretty definitely placed under Tom Helin.

Prohibition Issue Rises

The wet and dry issue apparently is going to figure as importantly in Congressional elections as it has in any non-presidential election year since prohibition, if not more so.

Out in Nebraska, George W. Norris, the notorious independent progressive Republican, now faces the pleasant prospect of a divided field of opponents. The candidates definitely entered against him for the nomination in the August primaries are State Treasurer W. M. Stebbins and Lieut.-Gov. George A. Williams. Both Stebbins and Williams insist that they will stay in the primary fight to the bitter end, but there have been recent reports that former Governor Samuel R. McKelvie, member of the Federal Farm Board, may after all decide to enter the race.

In that case sufficient pressure

might be brought on Stebbins and Williams to cause them to withdraw and leave the situation a two-man fight between Norris and McKelvie. The recent drop in wheat prices, however, was calculated to dampen McKelvie's hopes.

The anti-Norris candidate or candidates will have the support of Anti-Saloon League officials, who want Norris punished for supporting Al Smith in 1928, and the support of public utility and other corporations and standard Republicans who resent the incumbent senator's failure to take orders from President Hoover.

Other members of the Nebraska Congressional delegation believe Norris is reasonably sure to be returned, but think the contest may develop into an interesting fight.

Governor Bert Green of Michigan threatens to oppose Senator James Couzens for renomination, but has made no announcement.

There is a more or less popular theory in the state that Couzens is unbeatable; his constituents seem to like his independence, although he has no real political machine and spends little money in campaigns despite his wealth. Green would have the state G. O. P. machine. He has always run as a dry.

There seems to be a feeling among Montana politicians that Tom Walsh will come back to the Senate. He may not be opposed for renomination. On the Republican side, O. H. P. Shiley, a dry, former Bull Moose and once state prohibition administrator, has filed for the nomination, and Supreme Court Judge Albert Galen may go in as a wet. If Galen were nominated against Walsh he might hope to capture some of the wet Democratic vote and the main menace to Walsh seems to lie in the possibility of such a wet-dry fight.

John Givens, Misses Ruth and Dorothy Bennett, Mack Rodden, Cecil McElroy, Jesse Givens, Henry Artillery and Erb, Turner.

Those attending church at Oak Grove from this place Sunday night were: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Skinner and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Collier and family, Mack Rodden, Miss Ruth Bennett, Paul Buie, Buck and Franklin Foster, Dorothy and Ernest Bennett, Harlin Sanders, Miss Mable McElroy, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster.

Miss Ruth Bennett was shopping in Hope Saturday.

Bro. Baker and Bro. Harrison will preach at this place Sunday. We will gladly welcome all who will attend.

Charlie McPherson and mother, visited relatives in Texarkana, Sunday.

In a South Carolina town a coroner was asked to determine what had caused the sudden death of a negro who was found dead after a dinner of nine cans of sardines, a bottle of buttermilk, two boxes of crackers and a plate of spare ribs. We have our suspicions. (Copyright, 1936, NEA Service, Inc.)

CENTERVILLE

Brother Neely of Louisiana delivered a fine sermon at this place Sunday.

Miss Asline Wilson of Oak Grove spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Corrine Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster attended church at Hope Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Faught spent Saturday and Sunday in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. Faught entertained a crowd of old and young folks at their home with a birthday dinner Sunday.

Those enjoying themselves at the home of Miss Pearl Sanders were: Miss Mable Rodden, Misses Glin and Marie Andres, Misses Jean and Mil-

U. S. Bull Fighter Gored In Spain



Sydney Franklin of Brooklyn, N. Y., shown above receiving plaudits of spectators in a Madrid arena where he gored fame as the only American matador in Spain, is fighting for his life after being gored by a vicious animal.

ROSTON NEWS

News is scarce at this place this week on account of hard work and laziness.

Prof. Bryson, P. W. Taylor, A. H. Honca and J. W. Holloway attended the Old Fiddlers Contest last Thursday night at Blowing Rock. They report a fine time and say that the folks in that part know how to make things hum.

The vaudeville play here Saturday night, by Magnolia talent was enjoyed by all who attended.

The Athletic ass'n. met here Tuesday night and attended to some very important business. It was decided at this meeting to hold The Old Fiddlers Contest in our new \$1500.00 Gymnasium.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Jarvis visited relations at El Dorado last week end.

Mrs. J. W. Embury and son, Fay, of Shreveport, visited Mrs. W. G. Caldwell last Sunday.

Roston is now in position to gas and oil the public. We have three leading stations.

If you fail to attend the ball games Saturday p. m., March 29, and stay over for the Old Fiddlers Contest that night you will be just one lap behind your neighbor, for they are coming. You are promised plenty of music and fun.

J. W. Holloway is having our county agent help him and Mr. Hubbard do something about this week.

We are sorry to say that little J. T. Wortham, Jr., is not doing well at this writing.

Prof. J. W. and Mrs. Bryson drove into Prescott after school Monday P. M.

Will go now and see you again at The Old Fiddlers Contest.

STAMPS

Mrs. G. R. Hyslop and daughter, Emma, Miss Fay Wilburn and Mrs. Emma Harrow attended the show at Hope Wednesday afternoon.

Joe Porterfield, a business man from Spring Hill, and Tom Youcum were Stamps visitors Wednesday.

Thomas Moody, of Texarkana visited in Stamps Wednesday.

Guy Green, who is connected with the Fair Stores at Minden, made a business trip to Stamps Wednesday.

Otha Presley has accepted a position with the Star Utility Co., at El Dorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strange, made a trip to Texarkana Thursday.

Mrs. B. O. Strange, who is convalescing from a recent operation was able to leave the local hospital Thursday, but will be confined to her room at the European Hotel for a few days.

Harry Shiver, of Hope, was a business visitor to Stamps Thursday.

Mrs. Barham and daughter of Haynesville were pleasant callers in Stamps Thursday.

Otis Huden, formerly of Stamps, now of Haynesville, was a visitor here Thursday.

HARMONY

We are glad to know Mrs. McWilliam is still improving rapidly and we hope she will continue to do so.

Daily Cross-word Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Mistress signal
2. Queen
3. Gold makers
4. Quiverings
5. Village
6. Madras
7. Color quality
8. Proposed international language
9. Pertaining to the dawn
10. Heat
11. Roman numeral for 100
12. Tropical fruit
13. Birthplace of Lincoln
14. Myself
15. Evergreen tree
16. Flattered
17. Rescue
18. Rabbit
19. Name
20. Sling
21. Lament
22. Roman date
23. City in New York State
24. Public enemy
25. Of recent origin
26. Cleansing agent

DOWN

1. Fruit of the tree
2. 32 notes
3. Poor guy
4. Mother
5. Jammed
6. Placid
7. Chess piece
8. Glimmer
9. Heavy metal
10. Having a sick
11. Aurore
12. Low hang
13. Pook
14. Cautious
15. Cook slowly
16. Child's toy
17. Color slightly
18. Standards of creation
19. One who keeps a football
20. To the song
21. Also
22. Saw loosely
23. Side
24. Irishman
25. Staff
26. Part of the timber abbr.
27. Note of the scale

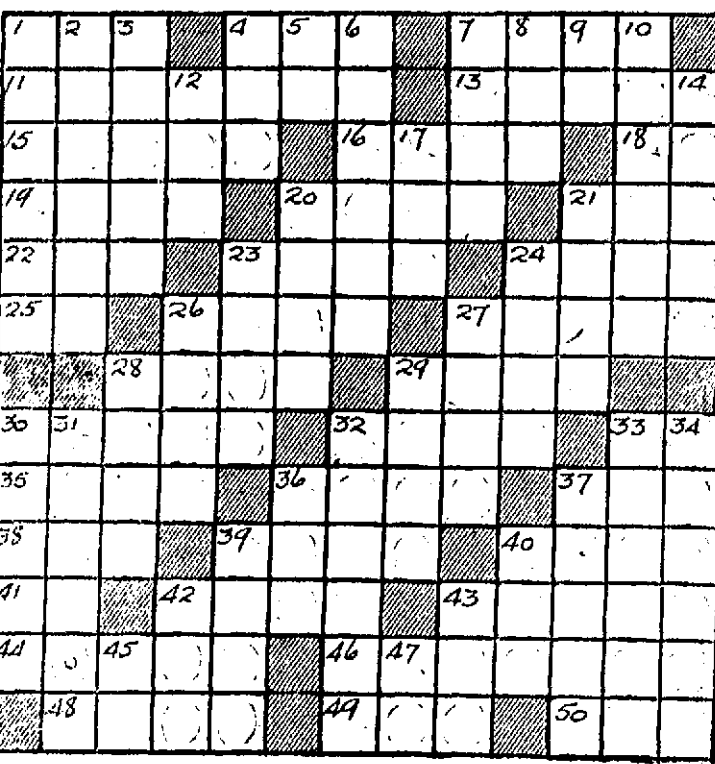
Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS

1. PIES
2. CAMP
3. HAST
4. ALONE
5. AREA
6. ESTE
7. COMET
8. SETH
9. SPAN
10. FINE
11. TEES
12. OTHERS
13. SEND
14. LEO
15. NEE
16. MALTED
17. MONUM
18. OBOES
19. MONOTONES
20. ALOE
21. RANEE
22. RENE
23. TEMPLATES
24. BASTE
25. SAFES
26. HALTER
27. PIAT
28. ITS
29. GATE
30. AWARDS
31. ERST
32. AGE
33. GALE
34. MORE
35. LEMUR
36. EROS
37. ARIA
38. ELEM
39. DENT
40. NEAT
41. RINSE

DOWN

1. 40. Breathe quickly
2. 41. Southern states abbr.
3. 42. Small particle
4. 43. Squander
5. 44. Funeral oration
6. 45. Main descent
7. 46. Large flat dish
8. 47. Desist
9. 48. Sorrowful



Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hodnett attended church at Sardis Saturday.

Miss Groomsey Nell Rogers is going to enter the spelling contest at the city hall in Hope Saturday.

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Though labor be his portion,
Though sorrow be his share,
He looks beyond obscuring clouds,
And finds the light is there—
And finds the light is there—
Grow heavier to bear.
Doubt comes with its perplexities
And whispers of despair.
He turns with love to suffering men—
And lo! God, too, is there.
—Selected.

The regular monthly meeting and the annual "Due Tea" of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held on yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Don Smith on South Elm street with Mrs. W. T. Franks and Mrs. Vesey-Crutchfield as associate hostesses. The Smith home was bright and inviting with a profusion of spring flowers. The meeting was opened by singing "Onward Christian Soldiers," followed by a most inspiring devotional and prayer by Mrs. F. A. Buddin. The president, Mrs. Dorsey McTear, presided over the business period, at which time, Mrs. H. H. Stuart gave the minutes of the last meeting, and splendid reports were given by the various committees, and in compliance with the new ruling by the state organization, that all dues be paid in March, the Treasurer, Mrs. W. Muldrow called the roll, and each member responded with her "White Ribbon Dollar." During the program hour, Mesdames W. M. Cantley, K. G. McTear, Sr., W. P. Agnew, Sr. and Luther Higginson read splendid papers pertaining to the work of the W. C. T. U. and Miss Marjorie Higginson gave a piano solo followed by readings by Little Misses Martha Ann Singleton and Ellen Ruth Bowden. Following the program, the hostesses served a most tempting salad plate with hot rolls and tea.

Among the out-of-town people seeing the show at the Saenger and shop-

ping in the city yesterday, were Mesdames A. J. Stevens, J. E. Wuerz, F. A. Edwards, O. Sneed, and Misses Frances Edwards and Mildred Wuerz all of Prescott.

Mrs. Ida Nodet of St. Louis, was the Wednesday guest of Mrs. F. T. Aylor and Mrs. Chas. Shiver.

Misses Ida and Mollie Hatch left this morning for a week end visit with Mrs. R. L. Hannon at her country home near Ozan.

Mrs. Dot Huie of Arkadelphia and Mrs. Will Dawson of Gurdon were shopping in the city yesterday.

Attorney and Mrs. John P. Vesey had as guest yesterday, Dr. W. C. Davidson of Paragould.

Mrs. Walter Baber and Mrs. Lon Kenney of Ozan were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. K. Elliot of Mena is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Shiver.

Mrs. Charles Shiver left this morning for a week end visit with friends and relatives in Shreveport.

Hosca Garrett of Pine Bluff spent yesterday visiting with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Keith spent Wednesday visiting in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. Leto Becker of St. Louis, are the house guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Becker.

Friends will sympathize with Mrs. H. H. Darnell in the passing of her aunt, Mrs. Norma Phillips at New Orleans yesterday. Mrs. Phillips was formerly a resident of this county.

Mrs. Carter Johnson entertained the members of the Thursday Bridge club yesterday afternoon at her home on East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson are entertaining the members of the Emanon club this evening at their home on South Elm street.

SARATOGA

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cannon of McNab spent Sunday with her father P. A. Fricks.

Fletcher Easterling and John Bill Jordan of Rocky Mount were visiting friends here Monday.

Miss Fern Williams, Nova Dodson, Mary McJunkins, Martell Hollands and Leon and Herman Dodson motored to Nashville Sunday evening to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sellous Atkins and little daughter, Barbara Jean, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis McJunkins.

Grandmother Holland who has been on the sick list for some time is very low.

Mrs. Ed McJunkins who has been confined to her bed for two weeks with the flu is recovering.

Miss Charleen Grady spent the week end with her aunt Miss Lula Fricks of McNab.

Miss Josie Lena Reed spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Reed of Yellow Creek.

Shelton Bridgman and Miss Nannie Mae McJunkins motored to Nashville Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lois Branton of Ashdown who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lou Anderson of Okay returned home Sunday.

Son Williams and Louis McJunkins were business visitors in Ashdown Tuesday.

Mrs. Leroy Spates of Hope is visiting her mother Mrs. Susie McJunkins.

Mrs. Louis McJunkins and little daughter Geraldine are visiting in Hope this week.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McTear who has been ill with pneumonia is recovering.

Mrs. Mc. E. Atkins who has been visiting her son, Sellous Atkins, here

MOM'N POP

WRITINGLY POP WAS INTERVIEWED BY MR. AND MRS. COLBECKER (ALIAS "GENTLEMAN JIM" AND "ROMANY ROSE," INTERNATIONAL CROOKS AND CARD SHARPS) TO HIS ACQUAINTANCES ON BOARD THE SS. GARGARIC. THE TWO CROOKS LAY THEIR PLANS TO TRIM THE BOYS AT POKER.

POP GOT ME IN WITH THE REAL DOUGH-BOYS IN THE POKER GAME BUT A COLD DECK WONT GO. THEY ARE A CAGEY LOT, BUT I'VE A LITTLE SCHEME I THINK WILL CLICK. LET'S GO UP TO THE SMOKING ROOM AND HAVE A LOOK.

THE BIG TABLE IS WHERE THE POKER GANG GATHER AND SEE THE BALCONY RIGHT ABOVE IT? NOW MY SCHEME IS FOR YOU TO—

I BEGIN TO GET THE IDEA. HOW DO WE GET UP THERE?

DO YOU SEE WHAT I SEE? I'LL BE FACING YOU. WE'LL USE THE SAME OLD SIGNALS.

IT'LL BE SOFT PICKINGS.

OUT OUR WAY



By Williams

decrease reported by a food and kind products plant. A surplus of unskilled labor was apparent. Skilled workers, however, were well employed. There was sufficient building underway to employ resident craftsmen.

PORT SMITH—Although full-time schedules prevailed in the local industrial establishments, lumber mills, furniture factories and iron and steel mills curtailed their forces. Additional workers were employed, however, in the paper and printing establishments, two of which reported overtime work. A brick and tile factory closed, and several lumber plants and textile mills reported part-time schedules. A general surplus of labor was reported, but not of large volume. Building for the time of year

was reported as fair.

PINE BLUFF—Employment gains were reported in the iron and steel industry. All plants worked on full-time schedules with the exception of one lumber mill and one food products plant, both of the latter continuing on part-time. Labor supply and demand were well balanced except for a surplus of unskilled work force. Building consisted principally of the erection of residences and several industrial structures. Road and street construction expected to employ a portion of the unskilled surplus labor.

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Two members of Congress can "point with pride" to these daughters of theirs. For Edith Brookhart, right, daughter of Senator Smith W. Brookhart, of Iowa, and Geraldine Free, left, daughter of Representative Arthur Free of California, are honor students this year in Columbian College, the school of arts and sciences of George Washington University, Washington.

has returned to her home. Miss Helen Jones of McNab was a Sunday guest of her brother, Vernon Jones.

KEEN CONCENTRATION (Continued from page one)

glad to answer questions either from the floor of the auditorium, or at the conclusion of the instruction class, in which I will be glad to assist as far as possible in demonstrating means by which the average woman can eliminate the greater part of the nervous wear and tear of cooking. The marvelous pause of Mrs. Ithig has long been a matter of comment in the hundreds of American cities in which she appears, ending much to the personality of the woman, it also permits her to carry on a program of activity beneath which the nervous system of the average housewife would quickly crack.

Because of the unprecedented demand for Mrs. Ithig's service, she appears in a different city every week, and is constantly under the strain of realizing that her recipes must live up to the standard she has set for them.

Second-hand stores are rare in Paris and most French cities because the government operates pawn shops.

Montana's northern elk herd of 17,000 was reduced by only 265 by hunters during the winter.

Boundries of four states come together at corners of Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado.

Woman Is Indicted For Fatal Shooting

Mexican Half-breed Held for Killing Negro at Glenwood

MURFREESBORO, March 21.—Mary Bigstaff, aged 49, Mexican half-breed, was indicted by the Pike county grand jury here for first degree murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Homer Parker, negro, of Glenwood, October 6, 1929.

According to the statement of the defendant, Parker had made threats against her and on the night of October 6 he made an attempt to break into her room and she shot in self-defense. She is a native of Mexico and has been living in Glenwood about a year. The grand jury reported 18 indictments, about nine of them for felonies, after examining 56 witnesses. The jury recommended in its report that a new courthouse and jail combined be erected and that minor repairs be made at the county farm. The civil docket was practically disposed of yesterday, one or two cases being set for Friday.

REPORT SHOWS SURPLUS LABOR

(Continued from page one)

try reported some increase in employment. All plants were in operation, except one hardwood lumber mill, which closed and released employees. Part-time schedules prevailed in the textile mills; stone, glass and clay products plants; paper and printing establishments, and in the iron and steel industry. No new building projects were reported and the surplus of labor included both skilled and unskilled workers.

JONESBORO—All plants that reported were running on full-time schedules and there was no noticeable change in employment except for a

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A PAGE of SPORTS NEWS



HOOKS and SLIDES

by William Braucher

Hubbard's Mother Hubbard

THE MACK is the "Mother Hubbard" of baseball. The term "Mother Hubbard" is a derogatory name used for the impression of the "Mother Hubbard" of the world of baseball. It is the kind of a patient man in the world of baseball, sitting on a bench in front of the "Mother Hubbard" of the world of baseball, in Fort Myers, Fla., the other day, talking with this writer, the "Mother Hubbard" of the world of baseball.

This ball team is a family affair. It is a family affair, trying to get the best for "Mother Hubbard."

How Does He Do It?

THAT is the idea, exactly, even though Jack is a kid rather advanced in years, or at least you get the impression of him as he looks at you in the bright sunlight from under those Uncle Tom eyebrows of his.

Jack is a marvel at Mack on the field. On a recent day when a group of photographers and news writers descended upon the team, he stood here and there busily, trying to get the requests of the cameramen to round up the players. One group of cameramen wanted the catchers to pose; others wanted a group of the most important people in the late world series; others wanted Mr. Mack to speak a few words for the talkies while the players sat in a group before him. Never once losing patience, Mack agreed to all requests and tried to tell a rookie right after how to catch a fly at the same time.

On the field, while the players are knocking them out in batting practice, Mack talks to you in a detached way. I stood behind the batting cage with him while the rookies were taking their turns at the plate. He paused before answering to questions, while his sharp eye followed the course of the ball after it left the bat, and

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

EDDIE COLLINS can put a half dollar on his wrist, snap his fingers and make the coin do a handstand. He showed the trick to George Barnshaw and Jack Quinn, free of charge, in the street before the Bradford hotel in Fort Myers, Fla., the other day. . . . Glenn Liehardt, rookie pitcher from Cleveland, who sprained his ankle in bunting practice, says he thinks Mr. Mack likes him pretty well as he gives him a lot of attention. . . . Glenn is the son of the old Cleveland pitcher of the same name. . . . Before lunch in the hotel, the Macks hold forth at high spades in a little room just off the dining room. . . . Mr. Rube Walberg is very lucky. . . . He is Jack Quinn. . . . Some of the rookies had to wire home for change after the first big game. . . . Connie Mack posed with Benny Bass, the junior champion of something or other, and Benny put his arm around Mr. Mack in a nice, fatherly way.

his body swayed a trifle with the motion of an infielder as the player scooped up the ball and returned it to the pitcher's box. I only heard him lapse once into the jargon of the old days when he was out there fighting on the diamond—a day, when he called to his pitcher to "snap out of it, big boy, and make 'em hit." That was when, with a group of players about him, he was registering his voice for the talkies. "These are the boys that were in the last world series," he said, and I could have wept for him when he said it. I could have wept until I started thinking it over. I decided it would be better to rejoice.

Shires Plans To Quit Baseball

"Great One" Resents Bulldozing Tactics of Comiskey

DALLAS, Tex., March 21.—(P)—"Bulldozing" he was "sick of being bulldozed" by Charles Comiskey, Chicago White Sox owner, Art Shires, erstwhile first baseman, has announced that he never again will play with this team.

In a telephone conversation Wednesday night from his home in Italy, Tex., "Art the Great" admitted he had received a telegram from Comiskey asking him "while participating in

the fight ring, who suspended you and who produced the evidence that caused the reinstatement?"

"The boxing commissions have records of this," Shires declared "but I'm not a bureau of information for Comiskey or anyone else. If Comiskey wants to know anything about the fight racket, let him go to the boxing commissions. They have all the dope. I wasn't guilty of any wrong doing."

He said he was going to ask the White Sox to place him on the voluntarily retired list, then planned to proceed with other plans, probably to play semi-pro ball in which he believed he could make more money than the Chicago club offered him. Shires has been classed as a holdout since he failed to sign the first and only contract tendered him by the Sox management.

SPORT SLANTS

ALAN GOULD
ASSOCIATED PRESS, SPORTS EDITOR

The Rockne system of football coaching has spread about as far as it is possible this year without going beyond the confines of the United States.

It covers the area now from Gainesville, Fla., where Charley Bachman coaches the Florida Gators to Seattle, where Jimmy Phelan, former Irish quarterback, has assumed command at the University of Washington; from Los Angeles, where Tom Lieb has accepted the Loyola job after a season of pinch-hitting for "The Rock" at South Bend, to Manchester, N. H., where Harry O'Boyle has signed to coach basketball and baseball as well as football at St. Anselm's School.

A line on the Rockne system also can be stretched from Philadelphia, where Harry Stuhldreher is coaching, to which Slip Madigan has Villanova, to the Golden Gate, in been developing some fine teams at St. Mary's.

O'Boyle, a backfield star at Notre Dame after the departure of the "Four Horsemen," shifted his activities to New Hampshire after a term as assistant to Cleo O'Donnell at Holy Cross. O'Boyle was an all-around star at South Bend and a protégé of Tommy Mills, the veteran former assistant to Rockne, now athletic director at Georgetown.

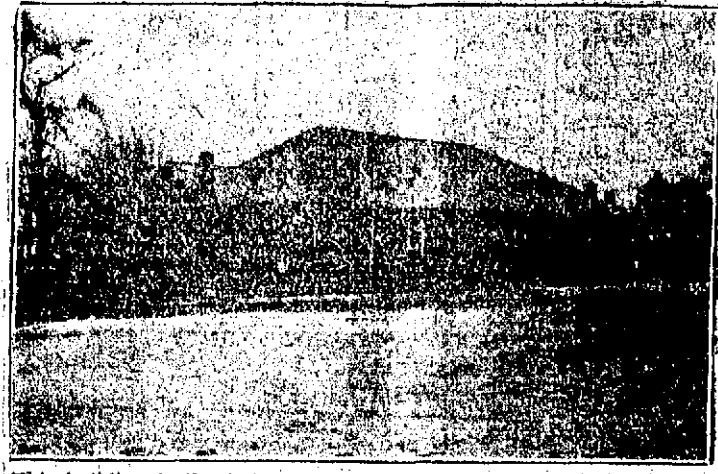
CORNELL'S magnificent rally of its track and field forces to tie Pennsylvania for the eastern indoor championship is reminiscent of the old days of Jack Mackey's Big Red teams, all conquering before the speed and command of the situation. Mackey, in nearly four decades of coaching, always has had the faculty of getting his boys to do a little bit better than they believed they could. Old Jack, without the use of any heroics, knows how to "lift up" his youngsters with just a few quiet words of encouragement. . . . The inspiration gained from the surprising indoor showing should go a long way toward making Cornell a substantial factor in the outdoor championships this spring at Cambridge. The East needs all the strength it can muster to withstand the forthcoming charge of Stanford and Southern California.

It seems that in a few years taps on the chin discouraged Fred Fulton from trying a ring come-back. The lanky Minnesota plasterer, convinced he could hold his own with some of the newcomers in the heavy-weight ranks, put on the gloves in a St. Paul gym. He had his long left working and moved around well on his feet but flopped to the canvas the first time he was hit on the chin by a young sparring partner. The same thing happened the next day and Fulton disappeared. Habit, it seems, was to hard to break for the man who was once an 18-second victim of Jack Dempsey's knockout wallop.

A great funeral pillar, dating from the third century B. C., was found by workmen at Goletto, Italy.

Southern branch of the University of California is being rebuilt on a 6,400-acre campus at a cost of 10,000,000.

Sparkman, Home of Champion Girls, Boasts Fine School



This building is the home of the "Sparklers," world champion girls' basketball team. The school has grown from a 5-room frame building in 1920 to an 11-room brick building with Smith-Hughes and home economics buildings and modern gymnasium. The faculty has grown from five members to 15 in the same time. The state department of education considers the Sparkman school a fair example of results being obtained from rural school consolidations in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, March 21.—(Special)—If there are persons who doubt that a small town in a sparsely populated county, even in a state which has had to bear the adverse criticism so often directed toward Arkansas, can attract nation-wide attention by virtue of its public school, the attention of such persons is directed to Sparkman, Dallas county. The United States census of 1920 shows Sparkman to have a population of 561 and the same census shows a total population in Dallas county of 14,424, yet the entire nation knows of the Sparkman high school and the "Sparklers," 10 girl students of that school whose athletic ability brought to the little city the girls' basketball championship of all high schools in the United States and victories over many strong independent and college sextettes, as well.

Whether the Sparkman High school owes its greatness to the young women whose basket ball ability is so outstanding or whether the success of the cage team is due to excellent opportunities offered by the school is a question which probably will never be settled. The fact remains, however, that Sparkman, a comparatively small community is nationally known for the sole reason that it has a high school and a championship basketball team.

Ten years ago Sparkman had an ordinary school housed in a five-room frame building with five teachers. Today there stands on the site of the old frame building an auditorium, a splendid Smith-Hughes and home economics building and a gymnasium which is the pride of the town. The faculty of the Sparkman now numbers 15 teachers, all of them college trained and five of whom have college degrees. M. F. Perrin is superintendent and much of the success attained by the school is due to his untiring and efficient efforts.

In 1927 the Sparkman school district was consolidated with two adjoining districts, Pine Grove and Fairview. A result of that consolidation was organization of a four year high school—the only one in the western part of Dallas county. In order that other district might benefit from the consolidation, the Sparkman school was opened to high school students in the Nix, Manning, Manchester, Dair and Ouachita school districts and bus transportation was provided for these students. Four busses are operating daily, according to record in the files of the state department of education in Little Rock, three of the busses making double trips and transporting children residing from five to 25 miles away from the Sparkman school.

It's there

with the dash that commands right of way

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STATIONS AND DEALERS THROUGHOUT THE SOUTHWEST

in "Rookies," one of the most enjoyable of their previous productions you will be glad to know that Byron Morgan, who wrote the scenario for that army picture, is the author of this one about the navy.

Alf Goulding, the director, has done full justice to the gags and situations and the plot, of course, abounds in them. The result is an entertainment for laughing purposes only, though there are a goodly number of thrills in it too. These include a big gun target practice, a riot in a theatre, a panic at a navy ball and a spectacular explosion in an arsenal which affords Dane and Arthur a chance to make some heroic rescues.

Women's 4-H Club Have Good Meeting

The women's 4-H club met at the home of Mrs. R. L. Lewallen at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Members present were Mesdames Sparks, Ervin, Cobb, Clark and Petre.

Miss Mary Jane Buckner gave a demonstration on how to make Boston brown bread. The dress and garden contest that is being put on throughout the state was discussed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Petre. A demonstration will be given on cooking. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting at her home 3-4 miles from this city on the Spring Hill road.

Curfew Law Being Enforced in This City

The old curfew whistle on Hope Water and Light plant is again being blown nightly to warn the youngsters that time has come for them to go in for the evening. The whistle, blown at 9:30 p. m., requires boys under 16 to be off the streets.

Local officers said the enforcement of the law was made necessary by some youths frolicking about the downtown area every night.

Hints For Homemakers

By Jane Rogers



BAKED potatoes will be much more meaty if, before being put in the oven to bake, they are allowed to stand for about twenty minutes in hot water.

A relish adds greatly to the appetite appeal of cold meats. A delicious relish can be quickly made by mincing one cup of cold cooked meats and adding three tablespoons freshly grated horseradish root, two teaspoons powdered sugar, one teaspoon salt, and two tablespoons lemon juice.

Complete sets of glass tableware—in rose, azure, topaz, amber or green—are rapidly coming into vogue.

Leads Nine



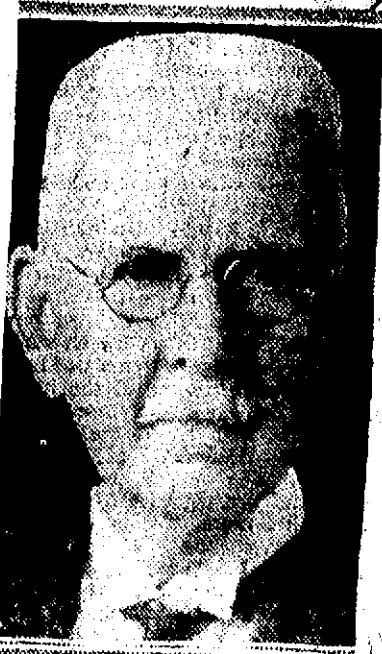
As vigorous a slugger as Babe Ruth himself is pretty Louise Lee, above, of Hackensack, N. J., who has just been elected captain of the baseball team at Randolph-Macon Women's College, Lynchburg, Va. Louise, a senior, is shown here at the plate.

VOICE RECORDED ON STEEL

The recording and reproduction of sound upon steel tape promise to be of great value to the moving picture industry. The miring of the record is performed by magnetism. The recording is "positive," so that the tape can be used immediately for reproduction or for the making of an unlimited number of copies. It is stated that this steel tape is practically invulnerable; that it may be handled and transported, and can be passed through the machine 1,000 times without developing wear or disturbing noises. It is also claimed that in comparison with the "sound-on-strip" method, the cost is less than one-fifth for the same time duration of recording and reproduction—Commercial Appeal.

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BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

AN OBLIGING DEER

WE AIN'T MAKIN' MUCH MONEY— BUT WE'RE HAVIN' LOS OF FUN!

L. D. SMITH, NEAR EVENING OF A DAY'S HUNT IN THE VICINITY OF GOLD, PA., SIGHTED AND FIRED AT A FINE SPECIMEN OF DEER. THE ANIMAL, THOUGH WOUNDED, RAN OFF AND WAS SOON LOST SIGHT OF BY THE HUNTER. SMITH FOLLOWED THE TRACKS AND AFTER A LONG HIKE, WAS AMAZED TO SEE THE TRAIL LEAD TO HIS OWN FARM.

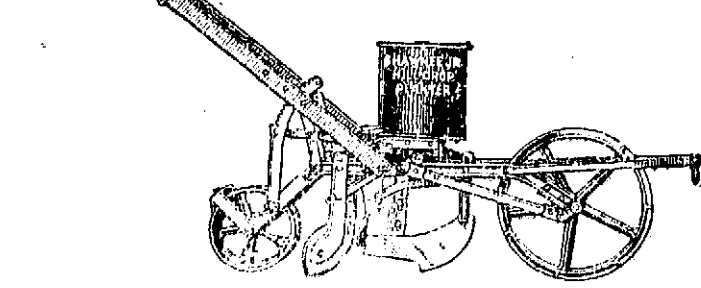
ARRIVING HOME, SMITH FOUND THE ANIMAL STANDING IN FRONT OF HIS BARN, WHERE A WELL-AIMED SHOT "DISPATCHED IT."

THE KETTLE—MORRINE BASEBALL LEAGUE, COMPOSED OF TEN WISCONSIN TOWNS, COMPLETED A 30 GAME SCHEDULE IN 1929 AT THE EXPENSE OF \$1.37 TO EACH TEAM OR A RATIO OF ABOUT 9¢ SALARY TO EACH PLAYER.

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Murder Backstairs

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

DORIS MATTHEWS, lady's maid, is murdered Friday night in a summerhouse on the Berkeley estate, by a blow with a heavy perfume flask, presented to Mrs. GEORGE BERKELEY by Mrs. MOORE CROSBY. The body, weighted and laid with GLO-JINDA BERKELEY's scarf, is taken from the lake Saturday morning by DETECTIVE DU-STRAY, who summons CAPTAIN STRAWN.

UNBORN SUSPICION: Mr. and Mrs. George Berkeley, who have quarreled late Friday night over Clorinda's engagement to Crosby, along with the social secretary, Mrs. LAMBERT, GIGI BERKELEY, who sprinkled perfume Friday evening with perfume from murder flask DICK BERKELEY, who, after having spent the night in the lake, turns up while his mother is accusing EUGENE ARNOLD, chauffeur, charged to Doris of having murdered both Doris and Dick out of jealousy.

Mrs. Berkeley, after many lies, admits she slapped Doris about 7 o'clock Friday evening that she later "struck Doris in with a perfume flask, but the maid was not hurt, and instead of being angry, she went up to bed at 11:30, then, when she went to her room, she found a note pinned to her door, saying that she was to be married to Crosby. She was so shocked that she did not go to bed, but went to the summerhouse, where she found a note pinned to her door, saying that she was to be married to Crosby. She was so shocked that she did not go to bed, but went to the summerhouse, where she found a note pinned to her door, saying that she was to be married to Crosby.



"These little shoes tell me a secret, Miss Clorinda. They tell me that you were in the summerhouse."

YOU see, Miss Clorinda, one can't think of everything—every little thing! Captain Strawn sympathized, after he had sniffed the sole of each small golden slipper. "You remembered to wipe off telltale traces of dew and earth from these little shoes of yours, but your nose was so accustomed by that time to the odor of *Fleur d'Amour*—

"Maybe you'd better translate it and call it 'Flower of Love'—your French is so bad," Gigi interrupted with hard flippancy, her eyes blazing like an angry cat's.

"—that you didn't smell it on the soles as you handled the shoes. But every criminal forgets something," Strawn went on, as if the child had not interrupted.

"I don't know what you're talking about," Clorinda told him tonelessly, but her face was very pale.

"These little shoes tell me a secret, Miss Clorinda. They tell me that you were in the summerhouse, that you stepped into the spilled perfume."

"I've told you already that Gigi splashed the stuff all over us last night," Clorinda countered wearily. "But she didn't sprinkle the floor! I pretty near eyewitness has already described that scene to me, young lady!"

"Our charming guest, no doubt!" Clorinda shrugged, and Dundee colored painfully.

"Well, let's have a look at the dress and the cape," Strawn said cheerfully.

He found what he was looking for three times, but the spots were all on the bolice. The skirt yielded nothing until the hem itself was passing under his nose.

"Well, I guess that settles it!" he granted with satisfaction. "The hem of this skirt has been in the summerhouse, Miss, if you haven't! Now for the cape!"

His nose was unwarded, however, and he was about to toss the gold metal cloth garment aside when Dundee sprang forward.

"I think you've overlooked something, Captain Strawn," he said quietly, pointing to a thin, dark-brown, horizontal line halfway

down the back of the cape.

Strawn uttered a sharp exclamation, then scratched at the dark streak with a fingernail.

"Blood!" he announced triumphantly, his gray eyes boring into the girl who had retreated until she was leaning weakly against the foot of her bed.

"Blood?" she whispered. "I swear I didn't see any blood—I never dreamed—"

"You thought you'd got rid of every trace of Doris Matthews' blood, eh?" Strawn asked grimly. "Pretty hard thing to destroy—blood!"

"Stop! You're going to make her faint!" Gigi commanded.

"I'm all right," Clorinda said dully, but one of her beautiful white hands gripped her little sister's shoulder to steady herself. "Gigi is right. I didn't kill Doris—"

"Then maybe you'll tell us who did, since you were on the scene of the crime last night?" Strawn suggested. "Come now! Who was it? Your brother, Dick?"

"I saw no one kill Doris," Clorinda answered, her voice trembling. "I did not even know she had been killed until Gigi told me this morning. . . . Oh, please give me time! I'll tell you what little I do know. I did go into the summerhouse last night, because I passed near enough to it to get a terribly strong whiff of *Fleur d'Amour*. At first I thought it was just the perfume on my dress, but another gust of wind brought the smell with such sickening force that I decided to investigate. I entered the summerhouse and saw a big, irregular wet spot on the floor, near the circular bench. I stooped to make sure, and found that a lot of perfume had been spilled there. I also saw that whoever had spilled it had tried to wash it up, for the surrounding floor had been swabbed with water, but that was almost dry. I wondered who on earth could have done it, then I thought mother had discovered my absence—"

"And had come looking for you with a flask of perfume in her hand?" Strawn interrupted, with a twisted smile of incredulity.

"MOTHER is so excitable," Clorinda went on wearily. "I thought it possible that she had gone to my room, carrying the perfume, perhaps for me to admire again Mr. Crosby's thoughtfulness, and had discovered my absence and had rushed out of the house to look for me about the grounds. I could imagine her stumbling in the summerhouse and breaking the flask."

"Yet you went to your room, Miss Berkeley, without taking the trouble to go to your mother and reassure her?"

"Yes," she agreed, shrugging. "I don't expect you to believe me, but I simply could not bear the thought of talking with mother. I knew there would be a row—"

"Why?"

"Because I should have had to tell her that I had made up my mind to break my engagement with Mr. Crosby."

"Why?"

"My father objected violently. Isn't that enough?"

"But," Dundee reasoned with her gently, "your engagement had withstood his objections for some weeks, I gather, and your mother, at least, was wholeheartedly in favor of the marriage."

"My father did not object to the marriage until yesterday."

"And why did he change his mind so abruptly?" Dundee pressed her.

"Until yesterday he knew nothing about Mr. Crosby except what mother and Mrs. Lambert had told him. But he had, as a matter of precaution, asked his lawyer to get some complete report on my fiancé as possible. It arrived yesterday, and father immediately forbade the marriage."

"Do you know what was in that report, Miss Berkeley?"

"I—did not see it," she evaded.

"Look here! We're getting pretty far afield, it seems to me," Strawn interrupted ruthlessly. "Do you realize, young lady, that you've practically accused your mother of murdering her maid?"

"That's not true!" Clorinda flashed. "I have accused no one. I merely told you the truth, which included my own specula-

tions when I found that the perfume had been spilled on the summerhouse floor."

"And pretty neat, too!" Strawn said, with mock admiration. "Now, Miss Clorinda, let's get down to brass tacks! You either committed that murder or saw it done. Let me do a little speculating! You knew, before you left your room, that the family limousine and chauffeur were taking your uncle and aunt home to Westview, for you were standing at your window and saw the car driving out of the grounds. Right?"

"No. I did not see the car," she answered wearily.

"And I say you did. That you knew Arnold could not keep his appointment with his sweetheart, Doris Matthews. That she had told you your brother had forced her to promise to meet him last night. Strawn went on relentlessly. "I say, further, that you knew, somehow, that Dick was not in his room. Probably you went up to find out, to beg him not to get into trouble with the girl. Right?"

"Not. Not one word of it is true!"

"It's all true!" Strawn corrected her sternly. "I say you stole out of this house to find your brother."

"You walked about the grounds, looking for him, or for him and Doris together, wondering why neither appeared? You finally saw Doris go to the summerhouse to meet Arnold, and soon saw Dick running to join her. He had seen her from the tower window, you know. You crept up to the summerhouse, listened, heard Dick propose marriage to the girl, heard her accept him, went in and quarreled passionately with them both."

"While the quarrel was going on, your mother came looking for you, heard voices in the summerhouse, flung herself in upon you all, perfume flask in hand, and insulted the girl. The girl answered insolently, your mother—who had snatched the girl earlier in the evening for insolence, remember—retaliated by banging her over the head with the perfume bottle."

Gigi interrupted the recital with a long, shrill peal of laughter.

(To Be Continued)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY OFFICE
County Election, August 12, 1930.

For Sheriff
J. E. BEARDEN
J. W. GRIFFIN
RILEY LEWALLEN

For County Judge
H. M. STEPHENS
J. MARK JACKSON
RUFIN WHITE

For Tax Assessor
JOHN W. RIDGILL
SHIRLEY ROBINS

Cotton Queen



NEA Los Angeles Bureau
The sunny south isn't the only section that knows its cotton. Seated on a fleecy throne, charming Iris Adrian is pictured here helping glorify California products of the soil at the first annual California Land Show at Los Angeles. In addition to Iris, farm exhibits representing \$750,000,000 were displayed.

STAMPS

Mrs. Jack Strange entertained Saturday afternoon honoring her daughter's eight birthday. She was assisted by Mrs. Hooks, Mrs. J. S. Moman and Miss Vivian Giles. After many interesting games ice cream and cake were served to the following: Carolyn Nichols, Ruby Nichols, Quinton Riggin, Mary Parker, Mary Harrison, Ida Louise Kugles, Elizabeth Jones, Patricia Pittman, Mary Schollock, Mary Ellen Gaughery, Bobbie Riggin, Virginia Galloway, Maxine Farley, James Ernest Jernigan, Mildred Tatom, Carolyn Louderdale, Homerine Presley, Mary Ellen Baucum, Martha Jean Harper, Mary Jane Thomas, Josephine Presley, Wanda Jean Moman, Martha Sue Johnson, Mary Frances Remains, Thomas Gillispie, Mary Lou Landea, Clay Stewart, Alice Terrell, Frances Cox, A. T. Walker, Jr., Cletele Hooks, Alma Craine, Elizabeth Galloway, Beona Hide, Dorothy, Nell Elledge, B. O. Strange, Jr., Dorothy Lee McMahan, Sonny Boy Harrison, Sylvia Dee Hooks, Clinton Parker, Jr., Hall and Dorothy Bess Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Summer of Magnolia, visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGough Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Thomas and daughter, Louise and Mrs. J. Frank Jones left Sunday for Houston, Texas, for a visit with Mrs. Ed Dye.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edge were Camden visitors Sunday.

The Young People's Missionary Society met in social session Monday evening in the home of Mrs. George Holmes. An interesting program was rendered with Miss Lois Quiser, leader, after which the hostesses Miss Lois Scodett, Nora Jackson and Vivian Giles, served a lovely salad plate.

Beautiful Helene Costello to Wed



Wedding bells will ring soon for another of the famous Costello sisters, Helene Costello, above, and Lowell Sherman, inset, will be married at Los Angeles with John Barrymore as best man and Dolores Costello Barrymore as matron of honor for her sister. Both the wedding principals are movie stars.

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"Gold Diggers," Great Attraction at Saenger

Warner Bros. new all-color, all-talking, singing and dancing Vitaphone picture, "Gold Diggers of Broadway," is one of the biggest hits that enterprising firm of film innovations has ever produced. It will be shown for the last time at the Saenger theatre tonight, where it was acclaimed by the capacity audiences as top notch screen entertainment in the new style—talking and singing and dancing on the screen amid a riot of colors as gay and bright as the rainbow can display. And the colors were clearly defined—but, with, the softness of pastel.

"Gold Diggers of Broadway" is first of all a sparkling good comedy. It has most of the smart comedy dialogue that made Avery Hopwood's play, on which it was founded, such a hit. Nine new songs and a show-within-a-show, in which the songs are sung, were then interpolated, a chorus of 100 dancing and singing, dazzling Hollywood beauties, engaged and the color cameras set to grinding. The result is entertainment de luxe which sets a new goal for other pictures to aim at.

Of the nine songs composed by Al Dubin and Joe Burke for "Gold Diggers of Broadway," the favorites with last night's audience seemed to be "Painting the Clouds With Sunshine," "Tiptoe Through the Tulips With Me," "The Song of the Gold Diggers," with the dancing chorus, and Ann Pennington's "Mechanical Man" and "Still They Fall in Love." Half of the songs fell to the lot of Nick Lucas, radio and phonograph star, the "crooning troubadour" who makes his screen debut in this production.

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NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any bills contracted for by my wife, Minnie Jett, after this date, March 20th. Ruffin Jett. Mch 18-15t

NOTICE

The regular meeting of the W. O. W. Lodge will be at 7:30 tonight at the hall. All members are urged to be present.

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Dockets Announced For Circuit Court Term Beginning April 7

Blue Law Charges To Be Heard Against Saenger Theatre

The civil and criminal dockets for the spring term of Hempstead circuit court, which convenes at Washington, Mo., April 7, were announced Wednesday by Circuit Clerk Willie Harris.

The coming term will mark the first appearance in this county of the new district judge, Dexter Bush of Prescott, who this week was appointed by Governor Farnell to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge James H. McCollum.

Judge Bush faces a heavy docket,

including in the criminal division three murder cases, one for rape and many whisky charges. The Public Saenger Theatre company faces 14 separate counts in connection with alleged violation of the Arkansas Blue Law for the operation of the Saenger theatre in Hope on Sunday. The cases are brought against the Saenger and its former manager, Jack Eaves, who is now at his home in Nacogdoches, Texas, and who is expected to return here as a witness in the trial.

The complete dockets follow:

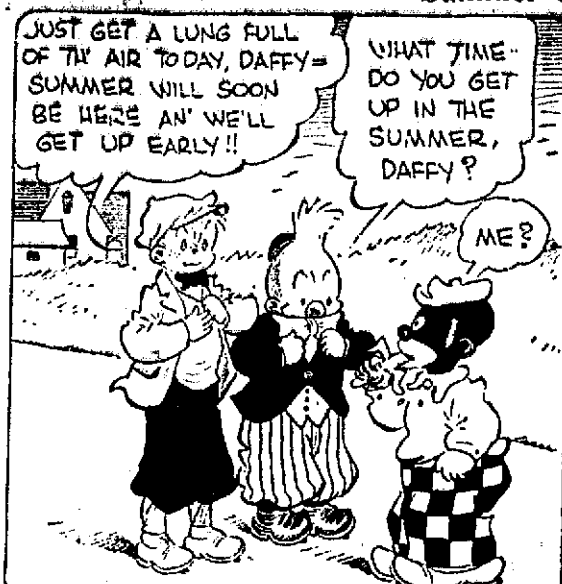
Civil Docket Tuesday, April 8

Patterson Dept. Store vs. R. H. Dildy; J. B. Colt Co. vs. Mrs. B. A. Slagle; J. B. Colt Co. vs. A. R. Newberry et al; Hope Fertilizer Co. vs. H. C. Bearden et al; H. O. Green vs. W. W. Wood; J. L. Howell et al vs. St. Imp. Dist. 3 Hope; J. C. Forterfield et al vs. D. L. Thompson et al; Citizens National Bank of Hope vs. J. B. Bicks, Jr. et al; Mrs. Dr. Anderson vs. T. C. Crosnoe et al; Walter E. Taylor, Bank Co. vs. R. A. Jr. et al; H. E. Benson vs. J. D. Acker; H. O. Green vs. J. D. Templeton; Eldridge Nelson vs. Ralph R. Miller; E. G. Seymour vs. Joe Konner Lowman et al; Eugene Jones et al vs. Public-Saenger Theatre; Inez Valentine vs. Ben Southward; W. L. Wheaton vs. J. E. Schooley; Nancy Wheaton vs. J. E. Schooley; Black Ice Delivery Co. vs. Dixie Creameries, Inc.; Arkansas General Utilities Co. vs. Dixie Creameries, Inc.; Walter E. Taylor, Bank Co. vs. J. M. Dodson; E. H. Honeycutt vs. Hempstead County; Columbus Special School Dist. vs. Rural Spec. School Dist. No. 19; E. W. Lewis vs. A. A. Gibson; Jim Roberts vs. L. E. Myers Co.; H. Cooper et al vs. Mose Yarger; R. S. School Dist. No. 19 vs. County Board of Education; Washington Supply Co. vs. E. H. Allen; L. Tollett vs. Hempstead County; Ben Scroggins vs. Hempstead County; J. P. Brundidge, Ex. Parte; Brundidge Estate, Ex Parte; Elizabeth Berkshire vs. Ernest Cox.

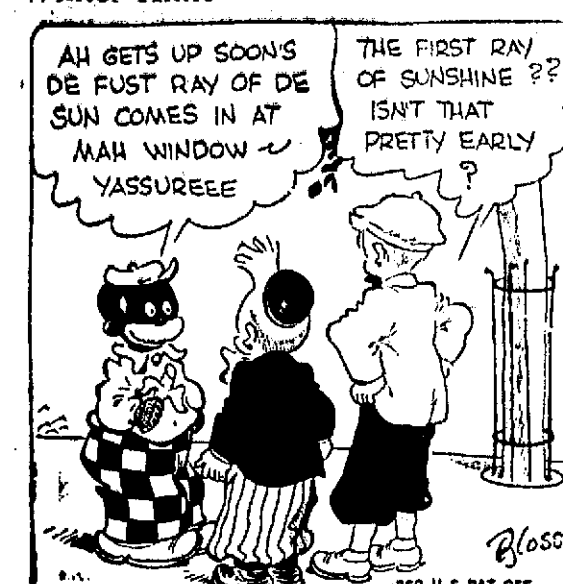
Civil Docket Wednesday, April 9

Arkansas Land & Lbr. Co. vs. A. W. Mellon, D. G. of R. Roads; Thomas

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Summer or Winter Alike



By Bloss

Is She Daughter Of Gaby Deslys?



A scar on the hand of Mrs. Edna C. Stiles, above, of Pasadena, Calif., may lead to her identification as the heir to the \$2,000,000 estate of the late Gaby Deslys. An aged nurse testified in Paris that the famous dancer severely gave birth to a daughter and that the scar was cut on the boy's hand. Mrs. Stiles, an orphan, heard the story and is investigating.

Bulford vs. Mo. Pacific R. R. Co.

Cases to Be set After Court Convenes

Mrs. E. Amonette vs. Shep Reed; S. F. Leslie vs. W. D. Harris; Farmers Union and Ex. Co. vs. W. D. Harris; Star Publishing Co. vs. C. V. Cox; F. G. Keegey vs. Eula West; T. A. Blackmon vs. Ritchie Grocer Co.; B. C. Armstrong vs. P. & N. W. Ry. Co.; Eutoka Hereford vs. T. W. Lee; J. W. Bragg vs. Western Union Tel. Co.; Wm. M. Reeves, Jr. vs. Southern Ice & Utilities Co.

Bond, Forfeitures

State of Arkansas vs. J. J. Ward; State of Arkansas vs. R. L. Burns et al; State of Arkansas vs. W. H. Burns; State of Arkansas vs. J. W. Goynes; State of Arkansas vs. L. V. Shapley et al.

Criminal Docket

Floyd Deloney, grand larceny; Autrey Goynes, robbery; John Pezva, burglary and grand larceny; Lawson Smith, robbery; Jim Ferguson, appeal; Ben Campbell, burglary and grand larceny; Fairbanks Crosby, burglary and grand larceny; Al Thompson, set up gambling device; Sam Graves, assault and battery; Irvin Honeycutt, drunkenness; Ben Campbell, grand larceny two counts; Elvin Dodson, forgery and uttering; Ray Morgan, possessing still and making mash, two counts; Chas Lacy, possessing still and making liquor, making mash three counts; Tom Trigg, making mash; Mack Davis, grand larceny; Wesley Poindexter, grand larceny; Gus Phillips, rape; Ben Campbell, grand larceny; Velmo Peterson, bigamy; Frank Jamison, murder; E. Y. Cloud, contempt; L. B. Jones, reckless driving (appeal); Sallie Lou Halbert, possessing liquor; Elbert Sanders, burglary and grand larceny (appeal); Mat Hays, three counts, making mash, possession still, making liquor; Robert Johnson et al, grand larceny; Ethel Graves, selling liquor; Blue Nelson, selling liquor; Roosevelt Prather, et al, two counts, making making liquor, making mash 3 counts; Ing liquor; Floyd Straughter, selling liquor; John Harris, selling liquor; Mattie Dixon, selling liquor; Ivey Kelly, gaming; Amos Scroggins, gaming; Clyde Witherspoon, gaming; Dora Straughter, selling liquor; W. R. Smyral, forgery and uttering two counts; Bob Hester, transporting; James Dickson, arson; Jess Cornollus, contempt; Jack Eaves, Sabbath breaking (appeal); P. R. Johnson, appeal; Martin Guthrie, perjury; Ike Hamilton, murder; Rufus Williams, possessing still; making Leroy Mullrow, assault to kill; B. Florence, assault to kill; M. A. Jarell, false pretense; M. L. Cox, making liquor; making mash—two counts; James Clark, forgery and uttering; Obie Nash, grand larceny; Simmie Walker, false pretense; W. R. Norton, making mash; Elbert Sanders, receiving stolen property; Buddy Green, possessing still, making mash, making liquor—three counts; R. Cheatham, assault to kill and maiming two counts; Roy Burns, making mash, possessing still, making liquor three counts; Jim Wyatt, making mash; James Wyatt, possessing still, making liquor two counts; Saenger Theatre Sabbath breaking 14 counts; will Carrigan, making liquor, making mash, possessing still, three counts; Rufus Williams, making mash; Ed Colston, et al, appeal; Harvey Anderson, contempt; Minnie Fulce, murder; Ed Hill, robbery and burglary, two counts; Hugh Brown, receiving stolen property; buying cotton between prohibited hours; Gus Beard et al, burglary and grand larceny; R. Patterson, burglary and grand larceny; S. Velvin, burglary and grand larceny; S. Merrill, burglary and grand larceny; L. Spears, burglary and grand larceny.

Mother's Clothes Trap Bandits



Because his mother's clothing didn't fit him well, Richard McCormick, left, 17, was sentenced to life at the Iowa penitentiary along with Gerald Haberman, 16. They pleaded guilty to slaying a town marshal at Dyersville, Ia., who attempted to halt them after they pulled their first "job," a \$30 oil station holdup. The awkward fit of McCormick's fur coat led to their capture on a bus at East Dubuque, Ill., where McCormick was masquerading as a woman. Their home is Prairie Du Sac, Wis.

Personal Mention

A. L. Propps, insurance manager of DeQueen, was a Hope visitor yesterday. Mr. Propps is well known in Hempstead county, having been a former Columbus banker.

Mrs. Luke Monroe, returned yesterday from Bradenton, Fla., where she spent the past six weeks visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gloude Garner.

John Milton Holt, left last night for Burlington, North Carolina after a two weeks visit to relatives here.

Mrs. James D. Ellis and Mrs. Mabel Saunders, of Texarkana, were in this city yesterday, the guests of Mrs. Dan Green. They left last night for Ozan to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. J. E. Goodlett, held there today.

Mrs. Robert Daniels, of Linden, Texas arrived Sunday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Waller. J. M. Stripling, of Prescott, owner of the "M" System store here, was in the city today.

P. E. Gresham and Clifford Wyatt, of the circulation department of the Star, made a business trip to Lewisville today.

Budge Bryant of Prescott, spent

Thursday in this city.

Miss Edna Jones spent Thursday night with friends and relatives in Washington.

Mrs. Tully Henry and Mrs. Dan Green are in Ozan today, visiting with relatives and to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. E. Goodlett.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cutler, of Little Rock are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stanford this week. Mr. Cutler is assistant to Mr. Mitchell of the State Highway Department in Little Rock.

Mr. J. S. Conway and daughters, Mrs. A. K. Holloway and Mrs. F. Y. Trimble are in Ozan today, to attend the funeral of their sister-in-law and aunt, Mrs. J. E. Goodlett, to be held

there today.

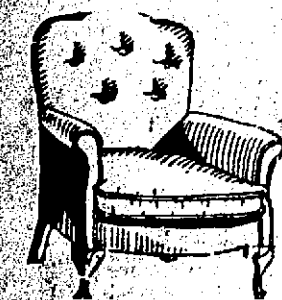
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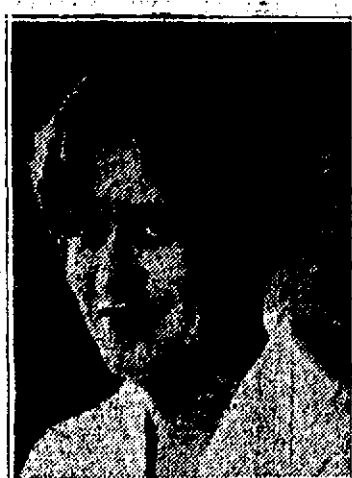
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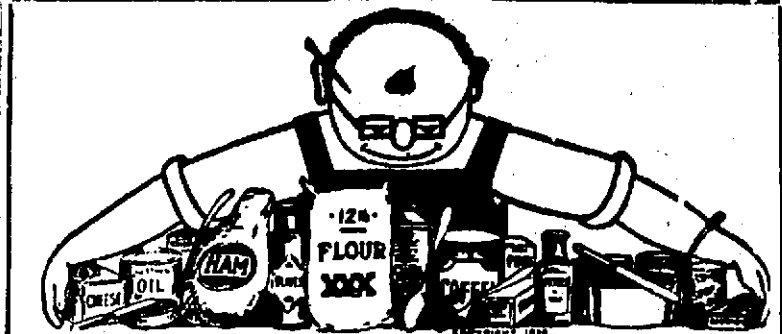
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